

3. Correspondence ending with letter No. 634, dated 5th January 1924, from the Conservator of Forests stating that he is not in favour of giving out the produce free but that it may be given out to the Gudigars at the average rate for the past three years.

ORDER No. I. C. 4562-3—FT. 133-23-7, DATED 1ST FEBRUARY 1924.

In view of the insignificant income (amounting to less than Rs. 10 a year) derived from pith in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk and the general property of the people who make a living by this industry, Government are pleased to direct that the sale of this article as an item of minor forest produce be discontinued and the Gudigars permitted to remove it free in future.

K. V. ANANTARAMAN,

Offg. Secy. to Govt., Revenue Department.

## FINANCIAL SECRETARIAT.

### Leave to Temporary Employees.

READ—

Letter No. C. 5454—22-23, dated the 16th November 1923, from the Inspector-General of Education in Mysore suggesting a modification of the rules regarding the grant of leave with allowances to temporary employees in certain cases even when extra cost is involved.

ORDER No. FL. 4086-125—S. & A. 17-23-25, DATED 1ST FEBRUARY 1924.

Under Article 152 (a) of the Mysore Service Regulations, an officer who has a temporary or officiating appointment only may be allowed casual leave and Privilege leave, without losing lien on such appointment, if no substitute is required or his duties can be provided for without additional expense. The Inspector-General of Education has brought to the notice of Government that there are several cases in the Department of persons continuing temporarily for a number of years for some reason or other and that in these cases the above rule operates as a great hardship as either the employees should be granted leave without allowances irrespective of the length of service put in by them or the interests of the institutions concerned will have to suffer if no acting arrangements involving extra cost are made. He has in these circumstances requested that the condition laid down in Article 152 (a), Mysore Service Regulations, may be amended so as to admit of the grant of leave without restriction to temporary employees working in places, no part of the pay of which is drawn by any other persons, such employees being regarded as permanent for purposes of leave. Government consider that some concession is necessary in the case of officers who have been on a temporary footing for a long time and accordingly direct that temporary employees who have rendered temporary service for less than two years in vacancies, which are practically permanent, may be granted the privilege leave which they are entitled to, though involving extra cost. Article 152 (a), Mysore Service Regulations, will be amended accordingly.

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Financial Secretary to Government.

## PUBLIC WORKS SECRETARIAT.

### Manurial and Fodder Crops.

READ—

Notification No. P. W. 250-54—K. S. S. 1602-1606, dated the 19th January 1924.

(ii) Letter No. R. O. C. 973—Ho. 302-229, dated the 29th January 1924, from the Director of Agriculture in Mysore, suggesting various concessions for encouraging raiyats to grow fodder crops.

(iii) Note dated 31st January 1924, by the Secretary to Government Krishnaraja Sagara Works, submitting proposals made by various officers and suggesting that raiyats may be allowed to irrigate one acre for manurial crops for every acre cultivated for fodder.

ORDER No. P. W. 282-88—K. S. S. 1714-20, DATED 2ND FEBRUARY 1924.

While not in favour of sanctioning proposals for supplying seed or for purchase of half the fodder cultivated, Government are pleased to sanction the proposal of allowing irrigation